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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Toyoki KUNITAKE et al.

Application No.: 10/550,016

Art Unit: N/A

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For: **PROCESS FOR PRODUCING DIELECTRIC  
INSULATING THIN FILM, AND  
DIELECTRIC INSULATING MATERIAL**

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

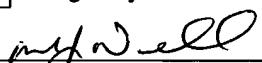
The following preliminary amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This amendment includes:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.

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